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		Examiner	Johnson, Jerrold	
		Group Art Unit	3728	

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RESPONSE

HONORABLE SIR:

Responsive to the official communication of October 31, 2005, Applicant submits the following Remarks. It is not believed that extensions of time are required beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this Amendment. However, in the event that additional extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned for under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefore are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account 08-3460.